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TONER FOR A COLOR PRINTER OR COPIER  
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DEVICE

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Enclosed are:

1. ☒ Specification
2. ☐ 1 Sheet(s) of drawing(s)
3. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 CFR 1.97.
4. Combined Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney:
  - 4a. ☒ New (*Unsigned*)
  - 4b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d) (for continuation/divisional with Box 11 completed))
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NexPress Solutions LLC
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The specification of which (check only one item below):

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